

COMMITTEE ON PRIVATE MEMBERS' BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

(Thirteenth Lok Sabha)

TWENTY-EIGHTH REPORT

(Presented on 27-11-2002)

I, the Chairman of the Committee on Private Members' Bills and Resolutions, having been authorised by the Committee to present the Report on their behalf, present this twenty-eighth Report.

2. The Committee met on 25 November, 2002 for—

- I. Examination of one Constitution (Amendment) Bill under rule 294(1)(a) of the Rules of Procedure.
- II. Classification and allocation of time for discussion of Bills under clauses (b) and (c) of rule 294 of the Rules of Procedure.
- III. Allocation of time under rule 294(1)(e) of the Rules of Procedure to the Resolutions at item Nos. 2 and 3 set down in the List of Business for Friday, 29 November, 2002.

Examination of Constitution (Amendment) Bill

3. The Committee examined the Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2002 (*Insertion of new article 371J*) by Shri Priya Ranjan Dasmunsi, M.P.

The Bill seeks to amend the Constitution with a view to making special provisions for establishment of a development board for the districts of Darjeeling, Uttar Dinajpur, Dakshin Dinajpur, Cooch-Bihar, Jalpaiguri and Malda in the State of West Bengal.

Classification and allocation of time to Bills

4. The Committee considered classification and allocation of time in respect of four Bills as shown in Appendices.

5. After considering all aspects of the Bills, the Committee recommend that two Bills shown in Appendix-I be placed in category 'A'. The Committee further recommend that the remaining two Bills shown in Appendix-II be placed in category 'B'. The Committee also recommend allocation of time for each of the Bills as shown in column 5 of the Appendices I & II.

Allocation of time to resolutions

6. The Committee recommend allocation of time to resolutions as follows:—

- (i) Resolution by Shri Haribhai Chaudhary regarding crop insurance scheme. 2 hours.
- (ii) Resolution by Shri Ramanand Singh regarding plan to increase irrigation potential. 2 hours.

Recommendations

7. (i) The Committee recommend that Shri Priya Ranjan Dasmunsi be permitted to move for leave to introduce his Constitution (Amendment) Bill;
- (ii) The Committee also recommend that the classification and allocation of time in respect of Bills by the Committee, as shown in the Appendices, be agreed to by the House; and
- (iii) The Committee further recommend that the allocation of time to resolutions, as shown in paragraph 6 above, be agreed to by the House.

NEW DELHI;
25 November, 2002

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P.M. SAYEED,
Chairman,
Committee on Private Members'
Bills and Resolutions.

APPENDIX-I

(See para 5 of the Report)

(List of Bills placed in category 'A' and allocation of time)

Sl. No.	Name of the Bill and member-in-charge	Bill No.	Category recommended	Time recommended
1.	The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Order (Amendment) Bill, 2002 (Amendment of paragraph 3) by Shri K. Francis George, M.P.	2 of 2002	A	2 hours
2.	The Crop Insurance Bill, 2002 by Shri Iqbal Ahmed Saradgi, M.P.	54 of 2002	A	2 hours

APPENDIX-II

(See para 5 of the Report)

(List of Bills placed in category 'B' and allocation of time)

Sl. No.	Name of the Bill and member-in-charge	Bill No.	Category recom-mended	Time recom-mended
1.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2002 (<i>Amendment of Tenth Schedule</i>) by Shri G.M. Banatwalla, M.P.	51 of 2002	B	2 hours
2.	The Prevention of Dereliction of Duty by Public Functionary or Public Servant (in Communal Riots, of Crime of Genocide and of Contemptuous Imputations) Bill, 2002 by Shri G.M. Banatwalla, M.P.	57 of 2002	B	2 hours